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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): KIMURA et al.

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Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
MEASURING BIOLOGICAL CONDITION

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Examiner: TOTH, Karen E



Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22314

September 26, 2006

**RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES**

Sir:

In response to an Election of Species mailed on September 1, 2006 in connection with the above application, Applicant hereby elects Species I of figures 1-8, directed to a pulse wave sensor that cuts off duplicate peak frequency components to extract a peak frequency component, without traverse. Applicant states that claims 1-4, 9-21, 23, 30, 31, 33 and 34 read on the Species I of figures 1-8.

Examination of the present application in view of the above election is respectfully requested.

Please charge any necessary fees to Deposit Account 50-1147.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "D. G. Posz".

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